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HEADCUARTERS OF STATE MINERS IN SACRAMENTO

New headquarters of the state mining association are being opened in the Travelers Hotel on Jay street in Sacramento and mining men will find it a good place to make headquarters while in the capital city.

The headquarters are being fitted up through the enterprise of the Sacramento Chapter of the state association following the refusal of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce to sponsor the mining department and further. Unwilling to see Sacramento lose the prestige of having the mining capital moved elsewhere, the Chapter there rose to the occassion and is fitting the place up in real mining fashion.

The association expects to report its campaign for stockholders in the new mutual insurance organization to carry compensation insurance to be ready to get under way at an early date. The move has been anxiosly awaited by a number of small operators who have been under a heavy handicap with the present almost prohibitive costs.

Chairman Stewart of the local chapter is expecting to call the next meeting of the local chapter to be held at Auburn the latter part of this month or the first of next. The local chapter membership list is now on its second hundred and with an active committee at work it is expected to boost the list to at least 250 members by early summer.

JACK BROUGHMAN HAS PROMOTED WINNEMUCCA

Jack Boughman for nearly a yeas past the enegretic manager of the local Wesern Union office has been promoted to take over the managership of the office at Winnemucca, Nevada, effective March 1st. It comes as a deserved promotion to the hard working young man who has greatly increased the business of the local office since taking over the reins. Jack has spent the past ten years with the company and he never misses an opportunity of building up business.

The Winnemucca office uses three operators and two messenger boys and forms an important link in the WU chain. The best part of the promotion is that it has come entirely unsolicited.

Nevada City Odd Fellow and Boy Scouts circles will sorely miss him as he has taken a lead part since coming here. He has been scoutmaster of the local troop and has done wonders with the boys.

WATT PARK PURCHASED FOR SITE BALL PARK

Watt Park which has been used to stage athletic contests for some years past has been purchased by the Grass Valley Baseball Club the past week. The park contains 13 acres and is admirably adapted to athletic uses as well as for a picnic site. Tking the lead in putting through the deal were Manager J. E. Gooding of the baseball club and Lou Elkus assisted by assistant secretary James Davis of the Grass Valley Chamber of Commerce.

A number of contests are scheduled for the diamond already with Franklin, Oroville and Marysville Foresters.

On learning that the owners were planning on selling the site for farming purposes git busy and saved the park for atheltic uses. At one time the park was used as race track with fair grounds.

TWO FIRES TUESDAY

Two small fires called out the fire truck Tuesday. In the morning a run was made to the F. R. Kirkham residence on Spring street where the attic was found ablaze. It was extinguished without much damage. At noon there was a chimney fire at the Allen home on Boulder street.

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NEW SHAFT PROPOSED FOR BOREHAM MINE

The officials of the Boreham mine south of town who visited the prperty last week annunced that a standard shaft was prjected for the mine at an early date to facilitate the development work which so far has disclosed fine ore, including much specimen rock of high value. A. O. Witte, president of the company who had expected to fly up from Los Angeles with the party, was unable to make the trip.

BUTLER STARTS QUIET TITLE ON WOODS TRACT

Cooley Butler through his attorneys, Nilon, Hennessy & Kelly, the past week commenced a quiet title action against Core E. Woods as prior owner of the Woods tract west of Grass Valley and certain other defendants including Lyman Gilmore, Jr., and Frank L. Wolverton.

In his complaint, Butler sets forth that Gilmore and Wolverton for a valuable adequate consideration made an assignment of their interests in the property and that he paid Cora E. Woods in full on July 19th, 1929. It is alleged that she has neglected and refused to convey the premises in question.

The suit is brought to quiet title to the premises n question and to assure possession of same.

ELKS STAGE HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL NIGHT

Past Exalted Rulers Night at the Elks Friday evening proved one of the best in the history of the local organization. With Tom Richards at the helm of the committee of arrangements, everything went through in shipshape fashion. The meeting was preceeded by a turkey banquet.

The following Past Exalteds filled the stations:

T. W. Richards	Exalted Ruler
G. H. Calanan	Leading Knight
J. E. Colley	E. Loyal Knight
J. W. O'Neill	E. Lecturing Knight
Robert Carr	Esquire
R. L. P. Bigelow	Chaplain
S. Lee Leiter	Inner Guard
Ray Hays	Tyler
P. G. Scadden	P. Dis. Deputy

The initiatory work was conferred on a class of candidates in excellent fashion for the benefit of District Deputy Walter W. Shipley of Redding who paid his official visit on that occasion.

Speechmaking following the ceremony carried the occasion far into the evening.

COLE GETS SHOT AT GRAY WOLF LAST WEEK

Clyde Cole wounded a large gray wolf last week which had been committing depredations on the South Yuba above Washington. Taking his fowling piece and gong up river, he soon heard cries of distress and found the wolf making a meal off a yung fawn on the river's edge. He shot the wolf in the shoulder which started up the ridge. Following it he found it had attacked another fawn previously. It succeeded in making its way into the brush

PACIFIC GAS SPENDS LARGE MONEY LOCALLY

According to an announcement made by H. M. Cooper, Drum Division Manager, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company plans on spending over a half million dollars in this division the comng year on betterments. Among the items listed are $6000 for replacement of poles on the Alta-Grass Valley transmission line, $21,750 for the replacement of cross arms on the Alleghany line and rebuilding of five miles of the Pike-Alleghany line from Cold Spring to Alleghany, and $4000 for the replacement of poles in Nevada City.

Thorn B. English and sister, Miss Georgia, of North Columbia were recent Nevada City visitors.

TELLURIC SMELTING & REFINING CO ENTERS LOCAL FIELD ON LARGE SCALE

As the result of a geological survey and rock examinations extending over two months W. H. Cross, noted geological technician, has decided that Nevada City—cradle of the Californian stamp mill — does not stand on granite as was generally accepted by mining engineers who held that no ledges or gold values would be found in the speckled grey rock, or if quartz splashes occurred, they could not live to any depth .

With almost unique world experience Cross was called in for a geological and petrological diagnosis and report "on the granite area and the Mohawk claims". He found no granite and stated that "the petrological and mineralogical circumstances surrounding such deposits as are likely to be found very shortly at the Mohawk if recommendations herein are followed, suggest gold enrichment as great as that found in the adjoining mines, to reach the geological horizon of which I have laid out rather expensive shaft sinking work which should reach its objective within three months. When ths work is completed, easy geological correlations will be made about a mile vertically above the deepest workings of the Grass Valley mines in the near vicinty". A htherto unexpected area holding rich auriferous deposits may soon be resounding with the glorious sounding roar of mills crushing out the yellow metal to add to the stupendous quantity already won from this, the world's mos tfamous gold mining district, if Cross has not erred. Those for whom he reported have taken the medicine prescribed, are sinking with the latest machinery—all electrically driven—three shifts with a crew of husky miners.

With the fut-fut-fut of the rock drills and the clanking and bishing of the air and electric water pumps filling our ears as we stepped from the cage deep down in the Mohawk mystery ock, we were obsessed with the feeling that this extensive operation in rock hard as flint already showing seams of rich mineralization, will soon set mining minded Californians talking. Cross stated that the area hereabouts was not developed because in the boom days "the geological idiosyncrasies of the district were not probed or understood when the genesis f gold occurrences were rated as little important compared with the practical matter and glamour of gold recovery." He declared in his report that "there is no petrological reason whatever why ledges richer in auriferous sulphides and as persistent as those of adjoining mines should not be cut, but much to suggest that they will be."

The mines of the Nevada City-Grass Valley district, all in an area of but a few square miles, have produced from the quartz and gravel approximately $250,000,0000 a quarter of a billion dollars. The North Star shaft of 8600 feet is the world's deepest in gold mines. The Empire mine has been payably productive for eighty years. At the deepest level, payable free gold ore is still being mined and on the statement of Cross, "there is no geological reasin why the deposits should not continue to greater depths than man will ever work."

The San Francisco News this month in an editorial stated that since '49, "the digging of gold has been a glorious industry for 80 years. Nearly $2,000,000,000 has been taken out of California's hills for the world's enrichment, and last year the gold crop was $8,500,000. It is thought that there was not any new outbreak of gold fever among the old prospectors of the Mother Lode,but there is something of much greater portent: the entry into the world's greatest and best paying industry of new money for extensive work carried out in the light of the latest scientific opinion such as the penetation if the Mohawk country rock, which if successful, will attract to the listrict where was the birth of quartz mining in California a new era of prosperity by supplying the enormous gold shortage.

The world now holds about nine billion dollars in gold while international gold obligations amount to forty times that quantity. To strike a paying ledge in the Mohawk area would be a real strike, one to set the world agog, one which would attract the attention of the great gold mining companies and one which would enrich the investors who make it possible. The greatest fortunes have their origin in the mines. In our own entourage are Hearst, Fleischacker, Mills, Newhall, and dozens of others. Every cent invested in mining in the U. S. A. for the last half year earned the stupendous interest of 182% per annum, and yet there are other industries held to be paying that are returning less than 5% of this amount. Our mines have made thousands of fortunes in the past, they will do likewise in the future.

If commensurate results follow the well founded technical construction of the Cross report, as notable for its language as its conclusiveness, the Grass Valley—world's deepest mine area—and Nevada City—birthplace of the California stamp—area will come back in glorious measure as a result of academical work opposed to widespread mining engineering reports. It is a challenge to them and the cutting of auiferous deposits will be a triumph for the technician.

The Telluric Mining & Smelting Company which has lately purchased the Mohawk holdings and is pushing the sinking of the shaft with the utmost dspatch, has an eye for tellurides of gold. The officials are advised that a telluride, unsuspected though determined by their engineer to occur in an adjoining famous mine, will be found at the Mohawk. Another of the properties in Plumas county is now fully equipped for ore teatment and concentration and while work is proceeding apace there in order to have reserevs well ahead of the mill capacity, it is expected that milling will commence before the middle of April on material which will be highly profitable

Large brokerag ehouses are watching developments of this new plan of ore development by one company with a central administration, in four counties. Mr. Leo Lucier, director of the Telluric, in whose company we visited the Mohawk, stated that in his opinion, "the expensive work undertaken for the good of the gold mining industry in California would be entirely successful and in it might be hidden the real strike which would lead to complete rehabilitation of the ndustry and the building up of more fortunes for those associated with it."

The new presdent of the Telluric is John Sawbridge, president of one of the most successful mining companies on the Coast, the Sunnyside Mining Company ,which pays regular dividends at the rate of over 300% per annum and which is very likely to increase materially this rate this yea. Mr. Grubb, "Apple Kng of the Yakima Valley," another active member of the board of directors, is interested in metallurgical apparatus including a new type of electrical furnace capable of melting iridium as easily as copper, from its gangues. The construction of the board of directors is such that every member is adapted to one or another of the demands upon it by a successful mining company. With a technical staff second to none, skilled mine manages, miners and mill men, the setup of the Telluric, leaves nothing to be desired. It has stockholders in Europe, Africa and China as well as closer home.

Several properties are being opened in, the vicinity of the Mohawk. One owned by the Gold Run Syndicate has already stripping a ledge on the fringe of the famous Gold Flat district. If developments continue favorable this syndicate will be incorporated. Its holdings were visited by engineers and San Francisco capitalists recently.

COMMENCES SUIT

Mrs. Charles Hope of Truckee has commenced suit against Dan Pagin in superior court, to recover the sum of $200 alleged due for rent and fr $300 for damages in holding possession of the property.

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MCCORMICKS STRIKE RICH DEPOSIT OF GRAVEL GOLD

DOWNIEVILLE, Feb. 17—(Special to The Nugget)— The most important event in mining in this district this season is the striking of gravel in the Arizona Mine, at the head of Jim Crow Canyon, southwest of Downieville, last week. H. B. McCormick, with his son, S. N. McCormick, own the property, reports having struck gravel on the west rim of the channel in a 26 foot raise. Sufficient drifting has been done to determine the course of the rim, and McCormick now intends to drop down in the raise and drift to bottom of the channel

The Arizona lies on the old Nebraska channel, fabulously rich in early days. During the nine years McCormick has been prospecting the property gravel has been struck several times, but is was invariably distrubed. McCormick reports the new find to be apparently solid gravel, lying on undistrubed slate bedrock, the first thus far encountered in the mine. That the pipe clay is intact over the gravel is evidenced by the absolute lack of water in the gravel, another new condition in this heretofore wet mine. McCormick intends to do considerable development work in the mine this winter.

MINING LOCATIONS ARE PLACED COTNTY RECORD

G. A. Bigelow, W. S. Bigelow, T. C. Bigelow and L. D. Gassoway have located the Trood No. 3 and Trood No. 4 placer claims in Secs. 4 and 9, T17N R9E.

GRAND OFFICERS VISIT THIS DISTRICT AGAIN

A large number of the Grand Officers of Royal Arch Masons paid an official visit to Siloam Chapter on Friday evening, Nevada and Grass Valley Chapters both being represented at the meeting which was largely attended from over the district. The party of distinguished visitors then continued to Truckee that night and spent Saturday in the snow sports. Saturday night Donner Chapter acted as host at which time the Grand Chapter of Nevada was also officially represented by a number of its Grand Officers, and officers and members of Reno Chapter.

WATER SHUTOFFS GET CASH IN THE TREASURY

Determination to follow up their pronunciamento that water users must keep their bills paid up proved the unlossening of a lot of sach by delinquents for the city treasury the past week, and showed that the city trustees intend to step on things a little in the water department. The water receipts are the source of revenue for the city general fund which provides the wherewithal to ketp the wheels turning. Heretofore there have been vrbal blasts occasionally that the bills would have to be paid but in but few cases ewas pressure applied to compel payment, and a lot of people got careless and thught they didn't mean anything.

SEAWELL ESCHEWED THE SUBJECT OF POLITICS

Assemblyman Jerry Seawell as principal speaker before the Grass Valley Lions Club at its meeting last week neatly eschewed any mention of politics in his talk and gave a fine address on sports and good sportsmanship. He brought in the ancient Grecian and Riman games and traced the history of sports down to the present day. He brought up the subject of constitutional amendment No. 21 which will be on the ballot and having to do with counties sharing in taxes from public utilties.

District Attorney H. B. Neville and Ross F. Taylor of Downieville were business visitors in this city.

STATION CUT AT MURCHIE MINE WAS COMPLETED

Conditions are looking promising at the Murchie for the opening up of new ore bodies on the lower levels of this famous property. With the completion of the cutting of the new station at the 1300 level, drifting will be pushed ahead to develop new ground. Conditions look favorable for important ore bodies on the new deep level as the formations from the upper level show evidence of continuance to considerable depth.

Milling has been going ahead continuusly and the values are said to be very encouraging. The oil flotation process has worked out very successfully on the Murchie ore and the concentrates have been running very uniform.

The mine is maintaining a large payroll and is Nevada City's largest payroll at the present time.

M'CONNELL IS BOOSTING FOR THE STATE FAIR

Frank H. McConnell, exhibit representative of the California State Fair was here from Sacamento Friday on business connected with the coming state fair which promises to ecpilse all others in point of exhibits and attendance. McConnell dd very effective work last year in securing the cooperation of the counties in making exhibits, 54 of the 58 counties being represented and nine of these never having shown at a state fair previously.

The attendance last year reached the phenomenal mark of 431,000 and came within 2,000 of the national attendance record held by Iowa. This year it is expected to surpass this easily. More foreign nations are expected to show this year.

With the Pan American Trade Conference conveneing at Sacramento August 25 to 30, with the state fair opening its doors at the close of the conference, will provide a unique setting this year.

With the splendid showing made by Nevada county in her exhibit last year particularly in the display of fruits, the county has made a good start toward regular participation in the state show.

JUDGE CHARLES OCKER ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY

Judge Charles A. Ocker, one of Truckee's highly respected citizens, gains the honor this year of being the first in Nevada county toformally announce his candidacy for public office. Charley who has served for many years at the post of justice of the peace of Meadow Lake Township is again seeking reelection to that office and it goes without saying that he will poll a heavy vote among the people where he has spent so many years. He is now rounding out four terms of office, the first by appointment, and three terms returned at the polls.

Charley has been a painstaking officer in his official duties and fathful service has its just reward.

LIONS CLUB WILL PRESENT FINE BILL

The Grass Valley Lionh Club with the Nevada City Club assisting will present a make "follies" skit in the next few weeks which should prove a scream. Miss Ruby Allan who rectntly staged a knockout success with the Placerville Club a few week ago will act as prodution manager and is busy arranging the cast and details of the production. The skit will be produced at the Strand Theatre and doubtless will fe repated at the Broadway Theatre the next night. The proceeds from the entertainment will be used in taking care of the expenses of the district meeting of the Lions to be held here in April.

Ignition Parts and Accesories at Miner's Foundry. 24tf

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COZY CORNER CHAT

THE DEPOSING OF THE high priced manager of the county promotion board by the regents of that organization does not mean that promotion of the county's vast resources is to be left in the offing after spending many thousands of dollars, most of which went for manager's salary of $300 and expenses each month for some months past. The board was primarily organized to conduct a colonization campaign but was soon left behind and other fields of activity entered into with the result that the organization had a kimono appearance—covering a lot of territory. This much can be said of its existence so far: it developed a lot of good boost material in its board of regents, men who were willing to give lots of time toward forwarding the county's interests in a civic way. The work of President H. W. Robinson has been noteworthy in many ways for his zeal, unselfishness and his willingness to put the county's best side forward on all occasions. Nevada county is to consider herself highly complimented that a man of his ability and civic consciousness is a resident and a tax payer.

COMING BACK to the matter of employng these floater secretaries. A community which has to depend on that class to conduct the affairs of its civic organizations is in somewhat of a bad way, that is towns of medium size at least. The minute a job is landed at a fancy salary, the old bag of tricks is trotted out to bewilder the natives in the sticks, and immediately the stage is being set for the landing the next job somewhere else. The ordinary secretary of that class figures his stock in trade should carry him about two yeas before he has to move on to fresh pastures. He cleans up all he can while on the job and is not usually a heavy spender in the community. Any secretary that comes into a community, expecting and hoping to make it his home if things work out, is not to be placed in the floater class. The great majority, however, are even as the gypsies that know not where to lay their head for any length of time. We don't like'em and are frank to say so.

THE PROMOTION BOARD can function along lines which are not covered by the work of the Chambers of Commerce and in that way justify its existence. Its work primarily is to encourage new settlers to locate here and in that it can perform a great service. Nevada county needs more settlers, many of them, not necessarily farmers. The builders of summer homes are a a most desirable class to cater to as well as retired people of wealth. Nevada county's scenic beauty, its pine clad hills, are an inspiration to any one who likes to commune with nature once in a while. There's a restfulness about our hills and valleys and mountains that is entrancing. Its no wonder our people are so happy and contented with their lot in life. Sometimes we think they are too contented with things, but contentment after all is one of life's greatest blessings. Our new airport which we hope will blossom into actuality will do a great deal toward making us more accessible to the outer world. Commuting from Nevada City by air is not as fanciful as it might appear at first glance. Let the promotion board function along some such lines and it will be filling a distinct need.

STREET LIGHTING is a popular subject right now and as was to be expected the idea is taking wherever some citizen thinks it is going to put one of the duhickeys in front of his door, otherwise he might be agin it! The plan of the power company has much of merit to commend it and if some plan of providing an adequate system for our business district can be privided let's have it if it is within lur means. The slogan "the first and best lighted town in the mountains" would sound like a progressive slogan.

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GRASS VALLEY PERSONALS

B. A .Penhall, Rev. C. W. Pearson, Charles Case, R. L. P. Bieglow, and W. W. Waggoner attended a convention and dinner of the Sacramento diocese of the Episcopal church, in Sacramento last week.

James C. Tyrrell went to San Francisco and after a visit with Mr and Mrs. John Rhodes, returned the last f the week with his wife who has been visiting for a few day.

H. M. Cooper and Mrs. Ray Sparnon visted ther parents; Mr. and Mrs. John Curnow of Cherokee during the week.

Lee Dugherty, manager of the Zellerbach Paper company, and Claude Christie, salesman for the organization, visited in Grass Valley during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ducotey and daughter, Hazel, visited the auto show in Sacramento last week.

Mrs. Wm. Argall and twin sons came up from Auburn and visited with relatives.

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ABRAHAM LINCOLN

By Katherine Parsons

February twelfth marked another anniversary of that famous man, Abraham Lincoln. I believe that every man, woman, and child should pay tribute to the Savior of our great Union, at least once a year, and what more fitting time is there than his birthday?

His life is well known to everyone. Accounts of his crude schooling and the hard work of his boyhood have been read by all. His lost love, which nearly caused insanity, and his short career as store keeper, have been food for stories for many years. From his early manhood he grew into a well known lawyer and made himself liked by everyone because he always had some funny anecdote or story to tell.

Lincoln was always a dreamer. He would sit for hours dreaming. He was also superstitious and believed in dreams, but he made his dreams a living reality and a goal for his ambitions. Lincoln was elected to the legislature twice. He married Mary Todd, and she has much credit due her since it was she who had a large hand in Lincoln's becoming president.

His years as the President of the United States are well known to everyone. His most wonderful act was his Emancipation Proclamation. This great man is well worth everyone's remembrance.

RADIO PROGRAM

Tuesday, February 11, a radio was temporarily installed by the Harris Drug store at the high school and the student body listened to a talk on "Borrowing Money", by Mr. Monett.

In his talk Mr. Monett told of the bank's attitude toward renewing notes. In answer to a question as to what would be the consequences if we did not pay our debts, Mr. Monett said that the result would mean disgrace for the one who does not pay. He also said that the bank does not lend money to anyone unless he has good reasons for borrowing.

He said that in stories and in real life bankers are thought to be cruel and hard-hearted. He said the reason that the bankers seem to be cruel is that the people do not seem to realize what they are doing when they sign a note.

He said we should never endorse a note for anyone unless we want to take a chance at losing our money. He said the bank is willing to lend money to the persons who are high in the eyes of the townspeople, or the wage earners.

Mr. Monett said that six per cent interest is charged on commercial money and seven per cent on real estate.

He advised peiple not to borrow from their relatives. He also said that the people who borrow money should be honest about it.

This is only one of the several radio programs planned for the high school students and it is believed that the students will receive much benefits from these talks.

SPANISH

The Spanish Class under the direction of Miss Whelan have been practicing Spanish plays and Spanish songs the past week. Many of the tunes are recognized but only the Spanish students can understand the words. These plays and songs enable the students to make a more practical use of the foreign languages.

GIRLS' ASSOCIATION

The Girls' Association is planning to give a party for the girls Friday, February 28, at the high school. gyhu|duau| the mam mma

They are also planning to give a luncheon at the high school March 26. The money from these events is going toward buying new athletic equipment for the girls.

Anthony Woody accompanied by Mrs. Woody came up from Fresno during the week. Mrs. Woody has spent a few days in Fresno visiting.

HONOR STUDENT'S PINS

Tuesday, February 11, Mrs. Hulen awarded scholarship pins to the students who had made the Honor Society during the first semester. There were two Seniors, Nadine Sutton and Catherine Davies; one Junior, Harriett Bleakly; and four Freshmen, Norma Kessler, Ruth Rector, Catherine Celio, and Warren Chapman, the only boy.

Mrs. Hulen said that she was pleased with the showing of the Freshmen and that they have an excellent chance of becoming life-members. To become a life-member one must make the Honor Society six semesters out of the eight. Therefore the freshmen have the best chance.

After the pins were awarded Mrs. Hulen said that she was sorry that there were not more members. She said that she was sure that any student would enjoy the activities and priviliges that the members of the Honor Society have. They are planning to present a one-act play to the student-body soon and to have a skip-day. Their annual party is going to be held shortly after the grade cards are given out for this period. The students who make the honor-roll for this period will be allowed to join the Honor-Sciety and enjoy the party.

VALLEY DELEGATION

Tuesday, February 11, a delegation of students from Grass Valley High School came up to invite the students of Nevada City High School to the big game played there Friday night, February 14.

The delegation was composed of Coach Calhoun, Della Hogel, representing the girls, William Partridge representing the "A" team, Jimmie Tametti representing the "B" team, and Fred Conway representing the Student Body.

During Coach Calhoun's speech he congratulated our boys on the fine sportsmanship shown at the game played, January 31. He also stated that although Grass Valley naturally wanted to win, they had nothing but the friendliest of attitudes toward our boys. Each of the other delegates spoke and told us how they were going to beat us or at least give us a "run for our money". Then Holden Pierce, captain of the "A" team gave his opinion of what was going to take place Friday night.

The teams and rooting section agree that we, also, have nothing but the friendliest attitude toward Grass Valley, and that we are determined that as good sportsmanship will be shown at all the future games as there was shown at the last game.

ARCHERY SET

An archery set has been purchased for the girls at the high school. The girls expect to practice archery during their physical education period. This sport will fit the needs of the girls who are barred from more strenuous exercise.

SENIOR MEETING

Friday, February 14, the Seniors held a class meeting during the last half of the Cvics Period. The calendar for the year was read and approved. It was decided to hold a foot sale Saturday, March 1st, downtown. A definite place will be decided upon later.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Angilley of Marysville were visiting former friends and acquaintances in Grass Valley.

W. B. Flynn, P. V. Canon, Ambrose Madden and W. J. Piggott of Newcastle atteded Elks lodge in Grass Valley last week.

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SENIOR FARCE

The Seniors have begun to take steps toward the annual Senior Farce.

Wednesday, February 12, try outs were held so that the parts of the cast could be chosen. Mrs. Hulen in conjunction with Mr. Kjorlie is directing the play and choosing the cast. They will select the cast by Thursday and practice will start the following week.

The farce is planned to be held on Thursday, April 12, and is called "Peekaboo Lady". To make this farce bigger and better than ever it will be necessary that all who take part work hard and faithfully. If everyone does his part it is sure to be a success.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Wednesday, February 12, an assembly was held to commemorate Lincoln's birthday. Dorothy Tamblyn read "Captain! Oh! My Captain", by Walt Whitman.

Ruth Rector read, "The Gettysburg Address", and Miss Main told of her visit to Lincoln's home in Springfield, Illinois.

TWEEDY vs. NEVADA CITY

Thursday, February 12, the Nevada City "A's" lost to the "Tweedy Chevrolets" of Auburn by six points. It was a hard game and when the final whistle blew the score was 27—21 in Auburn's favor

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Beautiful Things Seen Amid Coral Formations

Stone corals grow like plants. Some look like plants without leaves. Some have the stems and branches of trees and shrub life in an earthly garden; some resemble different forms of vegetation such as cacti, lichens, and mosses. Some corals adopt fantastic forms such as fans, pipe organs, ewers, and curious shapes. All are beautiful.

If the observer remains quiet, the under-water inhabitants appear from crevices in the coral, from under the anemones and seaweeds. Curiously marked and brightly colored fish will flash here and there, brilliant starfish will move slowly over the snowy sand or cling to rock surfaces. Some are bright blue, some variegated, some orange-hued and thickly set with tubercles.

Though among the lowliest forms of life, the starfish is one of the prettiest of sea dwellers. But it is a thug among sea things and makes its living by smothering or strangling its victims.

Frequently starfish are found wrapped about shellfish, which they appear to suck out of their shells after having smothered the occupant or paralyzed it with some acid secretion Occasionally the oyster retaliates by closing on one of the starfish's rays, but the attacker disengages the limb and goes away to grow another.

Palm Sacred to Egyptians

The date palm tree is a sacred thing. For thousands of years it has been to the Egyptian fellahs and to the nomads of Africa the tree of life and the tree of death. Its dates are so nourishing that with frugal races they are a principal article of food. Upon its transparent bark was written, in ancient hieroglyphics, the first awakening of human thought. Its wood provided coffins for the old Egyptian tombs; its essences perfumed the wrappings of mummies.

Confused Geography

"What river separates Texas from Mexico?" This was a stickler for Jackie. Father coached Jackie on the answer to make him get at least part of it. But Jackie had done enough for that evening. He couldn't think what the river was and he didn't seem to care, either.

"Well," said father, "think hard now; I'll help you. What river separates Texas from Mexico. Rio?" Father waited.

"Oh, I know now; Rio Rita."

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Freak Wagers

To stories of freak betting might be added another story of queer sporting events from Kenya. Mr. Basset Digby in his "Tigers, Gold and Witch Doctors," tells of a couple of surveyors who discovered that a small pool up in the Kenya highlands marked off the Great divide, a stream running off in one direction to the South Atlantic, and another trickling away to form a river running into the Indian ocean. For amusement the surveyors used to drop a small newt into the center of the pool and lay bets whether it would start to swim down to one ocean or the other.

Airplane Propulsion

An airplane would be useless without air in which to travel. In space the only kind of propulsion considered practical is the kick of an explosion, for the push then is against the gases formed by the explosion instead of the push against the air which is employed in airplanes.

Gloves' Early History

The monks under Charlemagne (742-814) were granted the unrestricted right to hunt in return for making gloves, girdles and book covers from the skins of the deer they killed. The wearing of gloves was almost universal among the Germans and Scandinavians in the Eighth and Ninth centuries. Pontifical gloves made their first appearance in France and reached Rome toward the end of the Tenth century, about which time silk gloves became the vogue among kings, nobles and church dignitaries. These gloves often were elaborately embroidered and jeweled.

A Getaway

He was an artist of the impressionist school, and he had been known to sell pictures, but it didn't happen often. He was carrying some of his work to an art dealer's, when he met a fellow artist. Suddenly he quickened his pace.

"What are you hurrying for?" asked his comrade.

"See that man over there?" was the reply.

"Yes, what of it?"

"Well, he is a creditor of mine. Like impressionistic art, he looks better from a distance."

Latin Long "Dead" Language

Originally Latin was spoken by the inhabitants of the ancient city of Rome and by the tribe called the Latini, who lived on the plain of Litum, south of the Tiber. Various other languages were at the same time used in Italy. Gradually as the Romans conquered the neighboring Italian towns, and their power increased, the Latin language spread through Europe. Latin was spoken in central Italy probably as early as 10 or 15 centuries before our era. It ceased to be a living tongue about the Eighth century of our era.

Speed in Reading

Prof. Walter B. Pitkin of Columbia university stated that there are great differences in the speed of reading in different classes of society. Young newspaper men catch with one glance of the eye 4.7 words, while experienced editors take in as many as 7.2 words, which is more than the ordinary newspaper line. On the other hand, engineers, who deal with things rather than with words, have an average eye-grasp of only 3.3 words. The engineers are credited, however, with retaining the meaning in a passage of 100 words better than the men of any other group.

The Boss's Daily Dozen

The boss used to say to me sometimes, "Never get mad at the sheep. It doesn't do any good. I never used to get mad when I herded." But at other times I have heard him tell how he would sometimes throw his cap on the ground and dance up and down on it and yell. Since he never got mad, it is evident that this was some form of physical culture, or perhaps his way of doing his daily dozen.—From "Sheep," by Archer B. Gilfillan.

AN OBLIGING BEAUTY DOCTOR

A Beauty Specialist Gives Home-Made Receipt to Darken Gray Hair

Mrs. M. D. Gillespie, a well-known beauty specialist of Kansas City, recently gave out the following statement regarding gray hair:

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After a careful analysis of banking expenses, the banks of Grass Valley and Nevada City have decided upon the establishment of a service charge of 50c a month on all checking accounts where the balance falls below $50.00 during the month, to take effect February 1, 1930.

The object of this charge is reduce the inevitable loss to the banks involved of caring for small depositors. After providing the necessary cash reserve, the loanable funds available from accounts carrying small balances are insufficient to cover the supplies, clerical and bookkeeping costs of providing the checking account service.

The service charge is not intended for profis, nor in any way to discourage the fulles uset of the banks. It is believed that when depositors realize this situation, they will be glad to maintain balances of no less than $50 or pay the small fee asked. This charge will not apply to the accounts of religious, charitable, educational or fraterna organizations.

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STATE MINING NEWS

The most outstanding mining news of the outside counties is found in the rich strike made in the Spread Eagle mine in the Whitlock district in Mariposa county. Mariposa has been disposed to be of a pockety nature without continuously defined ore bodies for any distance but rich strikes have been made there from time to time and the Spread Eagle looks to be a real one. The shoot was cut in the face of the 300 level tunnel. The high grade streak highly impregnated with the yellow metal is said to be about as thick as a man's arm and gives appearance of continuing both above and below the point of strike.

The business men of Mariposa thought so much of the story as carried in the columns of the Mariposa Gazette that they purchased a thousand extra copies of the edition carrying the first news of the strike to be mailed to widely scattered points. Those business men are awake to the possibilities of what a little mining boom can do for a community and their enterprise in helping to spread the news of the strike is most commendable.

A shaft has been sunk on the Who Knows property near Clearinghouse to a depth of 100 feet by John C. McGarry. The property adjoins the original which paid many thousands in dividends prior to its closing down.

The main drift in the Quail mine in the Coulterville district is being reopened and retimbered. One of the old ore bodies has been picked up at a distance of 450 feet from the adit and shows good values.

PLACER COUNTY

The properties of the Baker Divide and Forest Hill Mining Corporation at Michigan Bluff are now being operated by the Volcanon Mining Company. Two gravel channels and a quartz property are being developed and some production is reported. The company expects to run a crew of 25 to 30 men as soon as the winter is past. Paul Staples of Sierra Madre is president, K. D. Gibson of San Pedro vice president, E. L. Boyd of Santa Monica, Secretary and treasurer. John E. Black of Beverly Hills, refining engineer is the principal owner.

TRINITY COUNTY

Two monitors are working at the Rex mines below Weaverville. The claims of 70 acres adjoin the Hupp channel. They are owned by Willis

TUOLUMNE COUNTY

It is reported that a substantial payment was made on the Mt. Lilly group of claims to Charles Christmas and Philip Hagmeyer.

The recent strike made at the Moyle claims in continuing with a second strike reported.

It is reported that Bob Lindsey has struck a pocket in his property in Pigeon Gulch amounting to several thousand dollars.

CALAVERAS COUNTY

George T. Holder has commenced action in superior curt against The Comanche Gold Dredging Company seeking foreclosure of a $4000 note on which it is alleged the interest is in default. Holder has also filed a second suit to recover $300 alleged to be due on real property. A. A. Gillhousen of Los Angeles is president of the company.

The county grand jury has directed the supervisors to commence action to collect back taxes from the Royal mine at Hodson and to accept not less than $12,000.

Child That "Stammers" Victim of Nervousness

The most usual form of speech disorder is "stammering," or "stuttering." From the standpoint of development there are two distinct types, one which commences with the development of speech and the other that begins after the child has learned to speak normally. The first form is the more difficult to correct.

The underlying cause of stammering is purely mental. It is essentially due to emotional disturbance, and implies lessened ability to meet a difficult situation. It is most frequently observed in so-called nervous, highly-strung children. As these children grow older they subconsciously fear that their speech organs will refuse to work and have the horror of being the object of ridicule. A sense of inferiority develops, establishing a vicious circle—the greater the dread, the more imperfect their speech.

According to some observers, stammering is more or less common among left-handed children when they are taught to become right-handed writers. This opinion is largely responsible for the objection to educators attempting to train left-handed children to become right-handed. It is also believed to be more common among boys than girls.—Health News.

MINING WAS ONLY ONE EARLY TRADES

Mining was not the only way of making money in the early pioneer days. Packing brought as much money as gold digging and was somewhat more certain. The stage line was extended from Sacramento to Shasta in 1850, bua packers were still needed to bring the freight into Shasta and the town was a great packing center because supplies had to be carried by pack mules from there over the mountains into Trinity, Siskiyou and Oregon. A pioneer who came to the town in 1852 says that he could not then make his way down the main street for the pack mules and teams.

But by no means all who came to California to prospect became or remained miners or even packers. The mechants made as much money as either class. It is said that every man who came in with a good stock of provisions set up a small store until he had sold out all he had, so great were the profits to be made from supplies. When the miners and the packers and the merchants left, the merchants are said to have been the only ones who were wealthy, but that may have been largely due to their ability to keep their money.

Talk to a pioneer about prices in those days and you will say nothing more about how things are at present. Pies were cheap at $1 each, and during the winter of 1852 and 1853, when the heavy rains cut off communications and prices in Sacramento were so high that merchants would not purchase if they could, flour sold at $2. and $2.50 per pound. R. J. Walsh, the only merchant who was shrewd enough to have a big stock on hand, frequently sold 100 pounds sacks of flour for $225 a sack in gold dust.

An old man who has lived in this region since 1852 tells how he packed snow in from Mt. Baldy during the summer and sold it to saloon keepers for 50 cents and 75 cents per pound. In one summer he made $3000 from the snow trade, which shows that mining was not the only lucrative occupation. Money came easily in those days and persons thought no more of paying $1 a quart for milk than we think of paying 10 cents for it. —Siskiyou News.

Blind Students Aided in Professicnal Study

A blind person can now obtain a Braille manuscript copy of any work, however technical or abstruse, in any language. This has been made possible, says the British National Institute for the Blind, by the work of a band of volunteers who devote their lives to copying out for blind students the textbooks required in various professions.

The work is by no means easy, and does not simply imply copying line after line of printed words. Charts, notes, dates, sideheads, tables, references, and a hundred other items have to be studied.

Students are asked to return the volumes when finished with, and from these a valuable library is being formed. Thousands of volumes on almost every branch of knowledge, from alchemy to zoology, are already in the students' catalogue.—London Tit-Bits.

Dropped Into Sea Lingo

Here is a story about a Nantucket Quakeress who was a very superior feeling person. On a visit to New Bedford the young woman was invited to a tea party and expressed a fervent hope that she would not use any sea phrase while there.

Keeping a close watch upon her words she got on all right until, as they started to leave the table, a man away up at the far end asked her how her father was doing. Every face was turned to her and every ear listening for word of the sick man.

Flustered by having the attention so suddenly focused on herself, she said: "Thank thee, but he rather goes astern." Then she was overcome with confusion, for she had lapsed into the sea lingo she had determined to avoid. —Brockton Enterprise.

Telephoning to Sweden

A telephone call from the United States to Sweden passes over one ocean and under two seas. After reaching London the call is carried forward by means of a submarine cable under the North sea to Holland. It is then taken by land wire across Holland and Germany to Rospock where it again goes under the water across the Baltic sea to Malmo, Sweden.

Lake's Outflow Turned by Volcanic Upheaval

The history of Lake Nicaragua illustrates the geographical instability of area. The lake now discharges to the Atlantic through San Juan river, but its former outlet was the Pacific. The building up of the volcanic chain from Masaya to Orosi has cut off the original western outlet of Lake Nicaragua and diverted its drainage eastward to the Caribbean sea.

Cause for the uprise of the sea floor is the tilting of blocks of the earth's crust, which is like a pavement built of stone sets. If a water-main bursts below a roadway the surface is upheaved and the blocks are tilted at various angles.

Similarly on the upheaval of the earth's surface, the crustal blocks are tilted, and the edge of one block may be raised while the other edge may sink.

The subsidence of the floor of the Pacific may force some of the underlying material to flow toward Central America and cause an upbulging of the coastal belt. There is conclusive evidence of the direct uplift of this region. Lakes Nicaragua and Managua both occupy the site of an old Pacific bay.

A relic of this condition is the occupation of Lake Nicaragua by species of shark and swordfish which are identical with those of the adjacent parts of the Pacific and are absent from the Caribbean sea. The fish were probably caught in the lake when the area was uplifted from sea-level to its present height of about 130 feet.

Small Boy's Knowledge of Aaron Not Biblical

"Home training is one of the most important factors in education," declares a retired superintendent of schools. "The school cannot do it all. One can nearly always picture the home life of a pupil from his actions in the classroom.

"Home influence is even more noticeable in religious training than in the public school work. I was speaking about the Bible to a group of primary children one day and to test out their knowledge asked if any of them could tell me who Aaron was.

"Only one hand was raised. I asked the question again but still only little Samuel, a Jewish child, professed to know anything about Aaron.

"'Very well, Sammy,' I said at length, 'you tell the rest of the children who Aaron was.'

"'Aaron was the first name to be put in the telephone book,' Sammy answered."

"Folk"

As used in Old English, folk is a collective noun meaning "people," having a plural of the same form meaning "peoples." In later English, the plural form folks was introduced. In present usage, the two plurals have become differentiated in sense, so that folk means "peoples," or, as a collective, "people," and folks, especially with an adjective (widely used colloquially in spite of the drawing room fastidiousness of some writers), means "persons," and the two are no longer to be employed indiscriminately. We say, "the conies are a feeble folk (not folks)"; "the old folks (not folk) at home"; "Folk-lore (that is, the lore of the people) is an interesting study." —Literary Digest.

Foreseeing End of Moon

The Naval observatory says it is stated by Jeffreys, who has made an elaborate mathematical investigation of the subject, that the moon will begin to return to the earth before it reaches twice its present distance and will continue to approach until it comes so near that it will be torn to pieces by the attraction of the earth. The fragments will then form a ring around the earth like that of Saturn. Russell, without disputing this conclusion, adds that the sun may have ceased to shine before this exceedingly slow recession and return of the moon are completed.

Immortal Hymn

Rev. Henry F. Lyte (1793-1847), an English curate, in broken health, had been ordered to take a trip to a more southern climate. After his final communion service he dragged himself to his room, and before leaving gave to a relative a copy of the words "Abide with me, fast falls the eventide," which he had written, recording his own feelings during the twilight of that Sabbath day. Soon afterward, while on this journey, he died at Nice, France.

The News in Sing Sing

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MRS. QUIGLEY PASSES

DOWNIEVILLE, Feb. 17—Funeral services were held Tuesday for the late Mrs. Isabel May Quigley, wife of County Clerk Henry E. Quigley. Mrs. Quigley was aresident of Downieville for about thirty years, and was, through her fine character and kindliness, one of the best loed women in Sierra county. Her death, following an illness of long standing, comes as a severe blow to her neighbors here. The funeral was held from the Methodist church, Rev. Buckner, of Nevada City, officiating, and was one of the largest funerals ever seen in Downieville. Four sons and two sons-in-law of the deceased acted as pall-bearers.

Beside her husband, Mrs. Quigley is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Cora Miller of Sacramento, and Mrs. May Lusk, of Downieville, and five sons, John A. of Jeroma, Arizona, Edwin and Harry of Richmond, Frank, of Long Beach, and William of Sacramento. She was a native of Maine, and aged sixty-two years.

Island's Short Life

A submarine volcano may pile up a bank or form a new island. The standard example is Graham island, 30 miles southwest of Sicily; a ship passing thereby on June 28, 1831, felt a shock as if she had struck a sandbank, and by July 10 an eruption had begun which raised a new island that was at one time 200 feet high and three miles in circumference; after the close of the eruption the island was soon swept away by the waves, and it had been worn down to sea level by October in the same year.

Whale Meat Palatable

Many of the older New Bedford whalers who as young men were frequently absent from one to two years on whaling voyages, will testify to the excellence of this cetaceous mammal's flesh. All whales are really excellent food, but the irregular supply prevents the widespread use of whale meat although occasionally it is to be found in New York restaurants, while one can often buy it canned. In flavor it strongly resembles the best of beef.

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FRENCH CORRAL ITEMS

FRENCH CORRAL, Feb. 15, (Special to The Nugget)— St. Valentines Day!o A Valentine party is to be given at our French Corral school today. It will be in charge of little Miss Irene Browning. All are looking forward to a happy time.

It seems that winter is broken. Those balmy days we are now enjoying, make us almost forget we ever had severe weather, and invite us out to attend to the springtime work. Men, women and children are all busy in the various lines of outdoor work. Plowing, pruning, planting, etc.

The outlook for future prosperity is brightening. The old "Slide" mine, (quartz mine) which for years has given promise to wonderful treasure within its depths, has been taken over by parties who certainly mean business. Machinery is being installed with the vein of thoroughly prospeting and working This is very pleasing to the older residents, who have always entertained a firm belief that some day this old mine wiuld be the remaking of French Corral and the Ridge in general. We trust that all efforts will be crowned by success.

The "'49er" celebration at Marysville, February 8th, has been the theme of the week. It was a grand success in every way and in this passed all their expectations. The people of our neighboring town are earnest workers and it was the wonderment of all that such a splendid celebration could be "pulled off" n so short n time of preparation. The show window collections of antiquity, claming one's interest for every minute. Thousands of people came from everywhere and the genwas apparent on all sides. The ial old spirit of wholeheartedness "49er" spirit of course, when all were on the same footing, and good will prevailed. In their old fashioned costumes many lived again the the memories of that distant past.

Special mention should be given the Appeal for the reprint of that newspaper, of "58"—"60"—"61" articles. Among tht many interesting articles we learned that at one time a schooner! was built in the town of North San Juan! While we are sure that many a "schooner" had been filled there we never dreamed of a schooner having been built there, and we are glad to know that the old ship builder really did his work.

Another interesting item is "Among its population of less than 2000, were 344 children, in September 1861.

Well, we must not take up too much of The Nugget space, but we think that everyone who loves Nevada County should have a copy of that "Appeal reprint".

W. E. Moulton, and H. Hoskins and children were Marysville visitors Saturday.

Miss Millie Clerkin, Mrs. K. Sullivan, and Clyde Browning attended the "49er" celebration at Marysville February 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Wood and son Carl, of Sweetland were in French Corral visiitng Tuesday and Friday.

Miss Louise Moulton came from North Bloomfield to spend the week's end at her home in French Corral.

Miss Millie Clerkin and Mrs. A. Browning went to Timbuctoo Sunday to witnes the ceremony of marking the Emigrant Trail.

E. A. Gooding of Nevada City was a French Corral visitor Wednesday. He was looking up information on the telephone. He could find that here as French Corral claims the distinction of having had the first long distance Bell Telephone lne ever built. The main battery was in the old Milton office in French Corral. Eighty miles of line extending from French Corral to all ditch lines and reservoirs and mines from that place, to Faucherie Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burnett of Sweetland and Mr. Burnett's brother, Fred Burnett, paid a visit to French Corral Wednesday. Fred was one of our French Corral natives but spent the geater part of his youth n Sweetland. He has retuned afte 35 years absence.

Mrs. J. W. Culver accompanied Mrs. Elsie Schwartz on a trip to Smartsville Wednesday night to attend a meetng of O. E. S.

A. Browning visited Nevada City Wednesday.

CHEROKEE PROSPERS

CHEROKEE, Feb. 15, (Special to The Nugget)—All signs point to spring, frogs croaking, pussy willows out, also manzanita in bloom.

But March may change us back to winter it generally makes up for our nice month of February. We need lots more rain.

Mrs. Lou Garibaldi, who has been visiting her son and daughter in Oakland returned home two weeks ago. While there she attended the wedding of her grandson, Elmo Garibaldi to Miss Alice Shearer of Nevada City. The many friends of Mr. Garibaldi extend their congratulations. Mr. Garibaldi has visited his grandparents quite often and has many friends on the ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolf of Cherokee were visitors in Nevada City one day this week.

Miss Carmel Phelan, who is attending high school in Dunsmuir, won a pin for typing.

Little Mary Puller was taken home from San Francisco last Sunday to her home in Gerber. She is much better, but has to have the best of care for a year.

Every one over here has mining fever and all want rain.

Jack Phelan went prospecting and panned out a nugget worth three dollars and several small ones.

Parties from Oakland have bought the Haskill ranch formerly the Trainor place. They are fixing is up for a summe home. It will be a nice home when fixed up. There are several more ranches over here that will be sold or rented. Soon old Cherokee will be getting back again with all these old ranches that have gone to rack, being put in fine hhape. It is nice to see them fixed up again and sotck grazing in the fields, while children play in the yards that have been deserted for years.

Miss Mary Joan Campbell of Columbia Hill spent institute week with her aunt, Mrs. D. Coughlin of Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Frost of the Siberia mine were visitors in Nevada City Thursday.

Mr. M. Coughlin and wife of Nevada City were visiting relatives in Columbia Hill Sunday.

Mrs. R. J. Carter has received a letter from Mrs. Emil Brimont stating that he husband has suffered a second stroke of paralysis. Mr. and Mrs. Brimont conducted a hotel at Lake City at one time.

County Assessor and Mrs. H C. Schroeder went to Sacramento where Mr. Schroeder attended the assessor's convention.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 3264

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada.

In the matter of the Estate of L. REED HASTINGS, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, by the undersigned Lila M. Champion, as administratrix of the estate of L. Reed Hastings, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at law offices of Nilon, Hennessy & Kelly, 127 Mill Street, Grass Valley, Nevada County, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said L. Reed Hastings, Deceased.

Dated February 8th, 1930.

LILA M. CHAMPION,
Administratrix of the Estate of L. Reed Hastings, Deceased.

First Publication, Feb. 10th, 1930
NILON, HENNESSY & KELLY,
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HADLEY WISHES SUCCESS

J. M. Hadley who has been one of The Nugget's earlies boosters and who never waits until his time runs out before he is sending in his renewal, s now settled in Oakland for the winter. He sends kindest regards to the paper and best wishes for its continued success. J. M. is an excellent booster for Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Shurtleff attended the '49er celebration in Marysville and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall.

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STAGE BARN LOT BOUGHT

DOWNIEVILLE, Feb. 17—The school district has purchased the old "stage-barn" lot from Mrs. Carolina Ponta, of this place The lot formerly covered by the barn of the now defunct Downieville Stage Company, lies upon the upper plaza, and was, after the removal of the barn, used as a playground by the school children. The lot was purchased by the late G. Ponta from the Case Estate, and for several years has been open to the children. Recently Mrs. Ponto began fencing the lot, and the school district purchased the property at once to insure playground space.

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Trains leave Nevada City at 5:00 a. m., Grass Valley 5:20 a. m., arriving at San Francisco 1:30 p. m.

Trains leave Nevada City at 9:45 a. m., Grass Valley 10:10 a. m, making direct connection with S. P. train No. 19, arriving at San Francisco 5:30 p. m.

Train leaves Nevada City at 4:20 p. m., Grass Valley at 4:45 p. m., making connection with S. P. train No. 20, leaving San Francisco at 11 a. m., and 1 p. m., enabling passengers to arrive at Grass Valley 7:35 p. m. and Nevada City 7:56 p. m.

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Department of The Interior

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NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN EDWARD COOLEY, of Nevada City, who, on Dec. 17, 1923, made Homestead entry, No. 014738, for E½E½ Lot 2, SE¼NW¼, SW¼NE¼, N½NW¼SE½, N½S½NW¼SE¼, Lot 5, Section 30, Township 17-N, Range 9-E, M. D. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register, U. S. Land Office, at Sacramento, California, on the 26th day of March 1930.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. Clarence Hall, Peter Arbogast, Thomas H. Mooney and John M. Cooper, all of Nevada City, Calif.

JOHN C. ING,
Register.

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Mrs. O. D. Campbell has as a visitor her sister, Mrs. S. N. Williams of Fresno.

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SOCIETY HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST WEEK OF VICINITY

MISS PEARD WEDS MR. GLENDON PIERCE

One of the leading society events of the spring season was the beautiful church wedding performed at Trinity Episcopal church last Saturday evening, uniting Miss Margaret Peard and Mr .Glendon Pierce in the hily bonds if matrimony. The inspiring Episcopal ritual was read by the Rev. Charles W. Pearson in the presence of the members of the twi families and invited guests.

The bridal party consisted of Miss Ada Pierce of Sacramento as bridesmaid and Mr. Gene Pierce as best man accompany the bride and groom. Miss Dorothy Jones of San Francisc sang delightfully accompanied by Mrs. Genevieve Elliott at the pipe organ.

The brdie was becomingly costumed in white lace over white satin and her boquet was of lilies of the valley: Miss Mierce was gowned in green satin and carried Cecil Breuner roses.

The bride who is one of Nevada City's most popular young women has spent her lifetime here and attended the local schools. She later graduated from St. Mary's Convent of Grass Valley and spent two years in Sacramento. She then returned to Nevada City and became affiliated with the staff of the Bank of America where she was one of the efficient employees. The groom is a Nevada City young man. His genial winning manners have endeared him to a wide circle of friends .He is connected with one of the large oil companies.

TEACHERS ENTERTAIN FOR THE MOTHERS

Miss Elizabeth Janes and Miss Miss Alice Noyes entertained the mothers of the fifth and sixth grades Thursday afternoon.

The girls of the sixth grade gave an impromptu play depicting the women of historic importance in the latter part of the 19th century.

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Flossie Angove, ... Clara Barton. Enid Pemberthy .. Julia Ward Howe Marian German, Frances E. Willard Pauline Rozinski ..... Jane Adams Eleanor Willoughby, Susan B. Anthony.

Miss Janes gave a resume of the recent Teachers Institute and explained her methods and aims.

Tea and cookies were served by the girls.

Twenty three mothers were present and explained themselves as well pleased with the progress of the children.

MISS SUTCLIFFE WEDS A CASTELLA RESIDENT

Miss Alice Sutcliffe, grandaughter of Mr. anr Mrs. C. E. Martz of Wet Hill, was wer recently in Yreka to Mr. C. A. Langdon of Castella. She had visited here at various times.

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WOMEN'S CLUB HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM

One of the largest attended meetngs in the history of the local womans' club occurred last week at the Brand Studio. Seven of the members who had celebrated their birthdays the past month acted as hostesses. They were Mesdames Addele Pierce Tredennick, Catherine M. J. Fortier, Annie H M Bennetts, Leta N. Schiffner, Marie J. F. Harrison, Matilda D. Vanberg, and Bessie A. S. Mobley.

An excellent program was rendered consisting of recitations, songs dances and a harmonica solo. The report made by Mrs. Belle Douglass on the historic landmarks of this section was listened to with a great deal of interest and created discussion. It is reprinted in another part of this issue.

BRIDGE TOURNAMENT COMPLETES SECOND ROUND

The second round of the Elks bridge tournament found Meyers Mobley leading in the men's division through a little strategy executed by that estimable young gentleman and W. E. Wright came in in second place. Miss Adele Calanan led for the evening in the ladies' division with Mrs. F. F. Breese following.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE

The Intermediate League of the Methodist Church has elected officers as follows: Gove Cello, Jr., president; Clarice Holland vice president; Bob Tamblyn secretary and treasurer; Helen Arbogast, song leader; Billy Kirkham publicity manager; Audrey Davis, assistant publicity manager; Theron Haines, social manager.

The officers were installed last evening.

There are only two prisoners at present in the ciunty jail, and they are held awaiting trial on felony charges; one being George Capello of Truckee charged with grand theft, and E. W. Kitti of Grass Valley charged with a statutory offense.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rockerfeller and children and Mr. and Mrs. L. M Weeks were among the Gold Flat residents that attended the '49er celebration in Marysville.

L. S. Smith of the Forest Service has been in San Francisco where he attended a reunion of comrades in arms who participated in the boxe rebellion in 1900 in China.

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NORTH SAN JUAN JOTS

NORTH SAN JUAN, Feb. 15, (Special to The Nugget)— Perry Northcott of Santa Barbara spent Wednesday visiting friends.

Ross Taylor of Downieville passed thru town Monday enroute to the lower country.

Harlod Beresford of Moonshine Creek was a business visitor in Nevada City Monday.

John, Raymond and Francis Bartsch of Moonshine Creek were in town Thursday.

Buzz Calanan of the Oak Tree ranch was a visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dart and Mr. and Mrs. W. Bynon of Sacramento visited relatives Sunday.

Charles and Allan Ennis of Alleghany attended the Hard Time dance at Sweetland Friday evening.

Bob Scott and son of Downieville passed thru town enroute to Downieville Monday with a load of beef

Jean and Will McCullough of Berkeley spent the week end with relatives returning Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dahlberg and childen of French Corral were visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. White and son of Grass Valley passed thru town from Sierra City enroute to the lower country Sunday.

George McCullough, who was injured from a fall, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. J. J. Kelly, Mrs R. Bartsch Miss L. Bartsch and brothers motored to Nevada City Thursday.

Mrs. J. Pittman and daughters were in town from the Byron ranch Wednesday.

Ernest Collins of Sweetland was in town Friday.

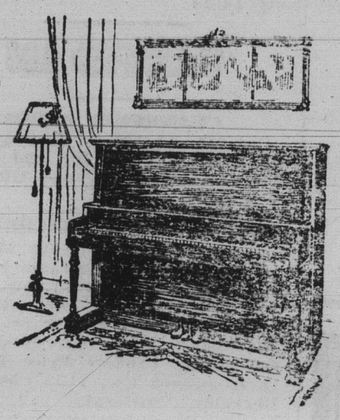
Joe Colombo ,who has been on the sick list and returned last week from the hospital, is somewhat improved.

Misses Evelyn Kessler, Bertha Velasco, and Lucille Fogarty motored to Nevada City Monday.

Jame Henry Pascoe ,former Grass Valleyan, passed away recently at Long Beach where he had made his home for a number of years.

Mrs. Frank Groves and son, Billie, of Camptonville are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Clendennen.

Mrs. Charles Bouvier visited with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Chapman in Sacramento.



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SPORT NOTES

Standing of the Teams

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Native Sons	17	13	.567
Corte Colombo ...	16	14	.533
Court Garfield ..	8	22	.267

The dope kettle was spilled over again in last week's horseshoe pitching tournament. The brand of horse liniment which the Odd Fellows must have for their pitcher's arms must be considerably more potent than the Native Sons' bear grease for last Tuesday night the tournament leders gave the Natives a fine comb wooling, and but for the fact that the cub team of the latter saved one game, would have put the Natives out of the race so far as winning is concerned.

Corte Colombo lost an excellent chance to fatten up their own average while the other two contenders were scratching at each other. The Colombo boys run up against a rejuvenated Court Garfield team and dropped two exciting games to their fraternal brothers.

It is beginning to look as though this is going to be "an Odd Fellows' year". Last week they took the measure of the teams of which Hallett and Coughlin, veterans of four years experience, were members. Captain Carlson is setting the pace for his teammates and his exmple seems to have been contagious among his lodge fellows who are giving his splendid support in the crusade for the pennant.

Last year's champions of Corte Colombo and the Native Sons, champions of two years ago, seem destined to scrap it out this year for second honors, with Court Garfield whose players were hard hit by sickness and absence this year bringing up the rear guard and earning the right to cook the banquet and wash the dishes at the annual celebration when the winners are crowned.

Monday's Games:

Foote and Jeffrey, Court Garfield, defeated Margaroli and Fradelizio, Corte Colombo, 50 to 32;

Rore adn Farrell, Court Garfield, defeated B. Zugnoni and V. Giani, Corte Colombo, 51 to 48;

Cicogni and M. Solaro, Corte Colombo, defeated Leonard, Sandow Davis and Day, Court Garfield, 52 to 35.

High Scores: Jeffrey, 30; Rore 41; Ciani, 38; Cicogni, 28.

Ringers: Rore, 9; Cicogni, 7; Giani, 6; Jeffrey, 5.

Tuesday's Scores:

Arbogast and Carlson, Odd Fellows, defeated Coughlin, Baker and Eddy, Native Sons, 50 to 48;

M. Chapman and White, Native Sons, defeated Rickard and Haddy Odd Fellows, 51 to 44;

Boughman and Seaman, Odd Fellows, defeated Hallett and C. W Chapman. Native Sons, 51 to 24.

High Scores: Coughlin, 47; Carlson, 41; White, 39; Rickard, 32.

Ringers: Coughlin, 11; White, 8; Carlson, 6; Boughman, 5, and Seaman, 5.

DR. SWAYZE IS CLEARED

Dr. Ormiston Swayze who was charged with failing to report a case of contagious disease to the cunty health officer ,was cleared by a jury in Judge Mobley's court Thursday of the charge after various witnesses had been put on the stand by District Attorney W. E. Wright and J. M. McMahon representing the defendant. The fact that there were no suspicious symptoms at the time Dr. Swayze was called proved the deciding factor in the case which wsa ably represented by both presecution and defense.

ORR GETS JUGGED

Percy Orr, who raises foxes at Camptonville, raised something else when he collided with the railing on the Pne street bridge at an early hour early last week. Nightwatch Jeffrey was on the job and said Orr looked to have been imbibing some high powered brew and that his machine was doing unusual antics on the bridge. Orr was soaked $100 fine and $50 for damage to the bridge in Judge Coughlin's court on a charge of reckless driving. He spent the night in the Hotel de Carter after the collision.

The ladies of St. Canice's Catholic church conducted a food sale Saturday in the Odd Fellows building.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Robson have returned home from a visit around the bay.

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